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In re Application of:
David L. MULTER, et al
Application No. 09/641,028
Filed: August 17, 2000
For: BASE ROLLING ENGINE FOR DATA
TRANSFER AND SYNCHRONIZATION
SYSTEM

**DECISION ON PETITION
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.181 TO
WITHDRAW HOLDING OF
ABANDONMENT**

This is a decision on the petition filed May 20, 2005 under 37 CFR § 1.181(a) to withdraw the holding of abandonment of the above-identified application.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

This application was held abandoned for failure to respond in a timely manner to the Office action mailed October 21, 2004. A Notice of Abandonment was mailed on May 4, 2005.

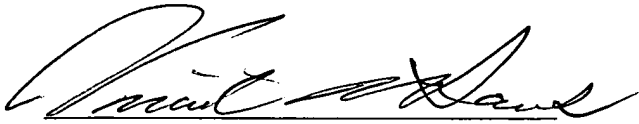
In support of the petition, petitioner provides a copy of the return receipt post card listing (1) Transmittal Form; (2) Fee Transmittal; (3) Petition for Extension of Time; (4) Response to Office action; (5) Copy of previously filed Declaration of Richard M. Onyon; (6) Copy of previously filed Declaration of Leighton Ridgard; (7) Check in the amount of \$510.00 and (8) a return receipt post card. The Return Acknowledgment Postcard has a USPTO stamp indicating receipt at the USPTO on April 25, 2005. Petitioner also provides copies of the documents as listed on the post card.

A review of the Image File Wrapper (IFW) for the above-identified application, it reveals that the original response to Office action and the other documents as list on the post card were received and captured into electronic images on April 25, 2005. Thus, applicant did timely file a response to the Office action mailed on October 21, 2004, and the instant application is not abandoned in fact.

For the above stated reasons, the petition is **GRANTED**. The Notice of Abandonment is hereby withdrawn.

The application is being forwarded to the Technology Center Support Staff to process and enter the response dated April 25, 2005. From there, the application will be forwarded to examiner for appropriate action.

Any inquiry concerning this decision should be directed to Vincent N. Trans whose telephone number is (571) 272-3613.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Vincent N. Trans", written over a horizontal line.

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